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# REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.322

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Dear Sir:

Upon reviewing the above-identified patent, Patentee noted an omission of information which should be corrected.

At page 1, please insert as follows:

(63) Continuation of application No. PCT/JP00/05019, filed July 27, 2000.

The error was not in the application as filed by applicant; accordingly no fee is required.

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Transmitted herewith is a proposed Certificate of Correction effecting such amendment. Patentee respectfully solicits the granting of the requested Certificate of Correction.

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It is certified that the omission in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

(63) Related U.S. Application Data

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